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1 MILE EAST ON NEW HAVEN ROAD, HAMILTON COUNTY
HARRISON, OHIO.

1. Present owner and occupant is Elmer Stone.
2. Date of present ownership and occupancy unknown.
3. Names of previous owners and other occupants unknown, other than the original owner Othniel Looker in 1804.
4. Building at present is used for storing farm impliments, and the rear portion has been altered to accommodate storage of a school motor buss.
5. Other alterations, dates and names of builders, and architects unknown.
6. Original construction dates from the year 1804. Built by Othniel Looker but the name of builder and architect unknown.
7. Personages and events associated with this home unknown other than Othniel Looker was a member of the State Senate in 1810 and 1811 and was reelected to that same public service in 1813. Jonathan Meigs was then governor, and when he resigned to become Postmaster General, Looker as a member of the Senate became acting Governor on March 24, 1814.
8. The above information is taken from an article by Frank Y Grayson under "Historic Spots in Greater Cincinnati" published in the Cincinnati Times Star of 1933.

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